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comprising an amide having 7 to 14 carbon atoms ~~excluding N-octyl-2-pyrrolidone and N-cyclohexyl-2-pyrrolidone~~].

Please add the following new claims:

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66. (Newly Added) A fibrous material or fiber of an aromatic polyamide that has been dyed with a dyebath comprising a mixture of a dye diffusion promoting agent and a dye soluble or dispersed with said agent, said agent comprising an aromatic amide having 7 to 14 carbon atoms, ~~excluding N-octyl-2-pyrrolidone and N-cyclohexyl-2-pyrrolidone~~.

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67. (Newly Added) A method of treating aromatic polyamide fibers with a flame retardant comprising contacting the fibers with a bath comprising a functional amount of the flame retardant and a flame retardant diffusion agent comprising an aromatic amide having 7 to 14 carbon atoms, ~~excluding N-octyl-2-pyrrolidone and N-cyclohexyl-2-pyrrolidone~~, and heating the fibers while in contact with the bath to fix the flame retardant within the fibers.

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68. (Newly Added) A fibrous material or fiber of an aromatic polyamide that has been treated with a flame retardant bath comprising a mixture of a flame retardant diffusion agent and a flame retardant soluble or dispersed with said agent, said agent comprising an aromatic amide having 7 to 14 carbon atoms ~~excluding N-octyl-2-pyrrolidone and N-cyclohexyl-2-pyrrolidone~~.

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